

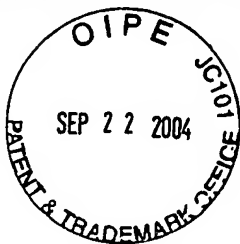
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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Applicants respectfully request a three-month extension of time up to and including September 16, 2004, for responding to the Office Action, mailed March 16, 2004 in the above-captioned application. In accordance with 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.136(a) and 1.17(b), a \$475.00 extension fee is included with this request. The Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 02-0383.

Respectfully submitted,

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